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Allowable Subject Matter

1. Amended Claims 1-3, 5-8, 13, 15 and 18 are allowed.

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Amended Claims 1,13, and 18 are allowable over prior art since none of the prior art taken individually or in combination fails to particularly disclose, fairly suggests, or render obvious on the following when considered in combination with other limitations in the claims: wherein the CQI response message include identifiers of at least one subscriber station arranged in a predetermined order, and allowing the subscriber station to generate the CQI response message including the channel quality information and transmit the CQI response message to the base station through the dedicated feedback channel for channel quality report comprising: checking the order of identifiers of corresponding subscriber stations arranged in the CQI response; identifying a radio resource position allocated to the subscriber station in the order of the CQI report requested to each subscriber station.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

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Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to RASHEED GIDADO whose telephone number is (571)270-7645. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Thursday 9:00-5PM EST.

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